



TANKS PUSH TO WITHIN 15 MILES OF RHINE

The War Today..

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THERE'S little satisfaction to be had out of the report that London diplomatic quarters that France is preparing to lead a bloc of western European countries in a campaign to obtain greater power for the smaller nations in the forthcoming world security conference at San Francisco.

Let that remark seem cynical, let it be said that it's already agreed the little fellow must have his rights. That's in the Atlantic charter to which all the United Nations subscribe.

However, what some of the smaller states fail to recognize is that the world is faced with a unique crisis. We are undergoing an upheaval which ushering in a new era of international relationships. The old orthodox ideas for obtaining and maintaining peace no longer fill the bill. They never did fill the bill, as witness the failure of the League of Nations which turned the grant marble peace palace at Geneva into a mausoleum for dead hopes.

The circumstances of this global war have evolved a new and admittedly startling idea. This is that (1) the security of the world depends on the cooperative efforts of the major powers, and that (2) the smaller nations must place their trust in this bloc of great powers. There is no alternative.

At the outset these great powers will be America, Britain and Russia—the Big Three. This is the trio which, standing together, has saved the world from enslavement. Individually they possess the greatest resources. Collectively their strength is so vast that they could dominate the world. By that token they can enforce global order.

In due course two other great powers may join the Big Three actively as well as in name—making the big five. Those are France and China. France was a great power until Hitler's blitzkrieg knocked her out. She now is struggling with a material, political and spiritual rebirth which it's hoped will raise her to her former proud position. China is huge in territory and in population, but not in strength. She too must undergo vast changes to give her a real place with the Big Three.

It's a peculiar circumstance that the nations which now are raising objections to the prerogatives of the Big Three are the countries which Russia, Britain and America have rescued with much blood and a titanic expenditure of wealth. Not having been able to protect themselves, and now having been rescued, these small nations show growing signs of unwillingness to trust the Big Three to guide them.

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State Patrolmen On Duty In Ohio Flood Districts

State Patrolman Bernard Hopkins of the Salem barracks has been assigned to the flood zone near East Liverpool and Wellsville as part of the state highway patrol's present policy of shifting their personnel and radio equipment to the area to aid evacuees.

One of the Salem station's two-way radio cars will be in operation there until the crisis is passed.

Approximately one half of the patrol personnel from District B, which includes most of northeastern Ohio, has been assigned to the flood area between East Liverpool and Cincinnati.

TEMPERATURES

SALEM WEATHER REPORT	
Yesterday, noon	43
Yesterday, 6 p. m.	37
Midnight	32
Today, 6 a. m.	28
Today, noon	29
Maximum	43
Minimum	27
Precipitation, inches	1.21
Year Acre Today	
Maximum	40
Minimum	27

NATION-WIDE REPORT

	Max.	Min.	Yest. Night
Akron	44	27	34
Albany	47	30	37
Bismarck	17	-4	10
Buffalo	50	25	32
Chicago	32	24	28
Cincinnati	56	27	32
Cleveland	56	27	32
Columbus	57	27	32
Dayton	57	27	32
Denver	38	19	25
Detroit	35	21	22
Duluth	19	2	10
Fort Worth	51	34	39
Huntington, W. Va.	45	30	33
Indianapolis	45	30	33
Kansas City	24	13	18
Los Angeles	59	42	48
Louisville	63	33	38
Miami	77	63	68
Minneapolis	17	-1	10
New Orleans	80	60	68
New York	47	38	42
Oklahoma City	38	26	30
Pittsburgh	56	34	39
Toledo	53	34	39
Washington, D. C.	62	47	50

Rising Ohio River Threatens To Top New Flood Walls

(By Associated Press)
Indication that the flooded Ohio river might top a 62-foot flood wall at Portsmouth, O., by two or three feet came today with Weather bureau forecast of a 64 to 65 foot crest there late Thursday, and a crest of "not exceeding 70 feet" farther downstream within the Cincinnati district.

The river edged within inches of the top of Portsmouth's wall—being hurriedly built higher—and at Cincinnati rose slowly above 69 feet, 17 feet higher than flood stage.

Meanwhile, water from the Ohio surged over a barrier dam at the mouth of tributary Mill Creek, adding as much as two feet of water to portions of already well-flooded sections.

CREST NEARED AT PITTSBURGH

Hundreds Forced Out of Homes; War Production Is Curtailed

(By Associated Press)
PITTSBURGH, March 7.—Swirling flood waters from the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers approached their crest at Pittsburgh today, forcing hundreds from their homes in nearby communities and curtailing war production.

Forecaster W. S. Brostrom of the U. S. Weather bureau predicted the waters would reach a high level of 33.5 feet late today. Such a stage would not do serious damage in Pittsburgh's downtown area, affecting only riverfront streets.

Tributary streams over western Pennsylvania were ebbing slowly the rate of the rise of the two big rivers was declining, and colder weather brought snow to the watersheds. The Weather bureau reported 2.82 inches of rain had fallen here since midnight Monday.

About 20,000 war workers were kept from their jobs by the high water.

Above Pittsburgh, tributaries began to recede this morning as far north as Vandergrift, Johnstown, Pa., equipped with modern channel and flood prevention improvements, missed the flood although the Stonycreek and Conemaugh rivers were running above what was the former flood level.

Army engineers said two and one-half inches of rainfall over the Monongahela and Allegheny watershed swelled the waters impounded behind control dams to an unprecedented extent.

High waters from the Ohio river forced the American bridge company's shipyards to close at Ambridge, making about 10,000 men idle.

The Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp. reported six open hearths in its Pittsburgh works were shutdown. The 96-inch hot strip sheet mill also was suspended.

PLAN PTA INSTITUTE IN SALEM IN APRIL

A district PTA institute in Salem has been tentatively set for April 18, sponsored by the Ohio Congress of Parent and Teacher associations.

The meeting, plans for which have been started by the Salem PTA council, will attract Parent-Teacher groups from all Columbiana county cities and other neighboring communities. One hundred and fifty are expected to attend, including state officers. All phases of PTA work will be discussed.

Initial plans were outlined at a recent meeting here with Mrs. Smith Witter of Canton, eastern district representative, and adopted at a meeting of the Salem PTA council Monday night.

Committees appointed include: Program—Charles McCorrhill, Mrs. M. W. Riegel, C. H. Musser, Place—W. W. Luce, Chalmers Grove and Mrs. Mary Conley. Registration—Mrs. Lowell Brown. Publicity—William F. Ross.

E. PALESTINE MAN KILLED IN ACTION

EAST PALESTINE, March 7.—Pfc. Thomas Lynch, 28, of E. Rebecca st., who was reported missing in action in Germany Feb. 8, was killed in the War department has notified his wife, Mrs. Mildred Lynch, a son of Mrs. Mary Lynch he entered the service about three years ago and had been overseas since October, 1944.

He was born in East Palestine March 11, 1916 and graduated from high school here in 1934.

Besides his mother and wife he leaves two sisters, Mrs. Clifford Blagg of East Palestine and Mrs. Helen Knight of Wellsville and four brothers, Mike and Billy of East Palestine, Harold of Philadelphia, and Seaman 2nd Class Paul in the South Pacific.

High At E. Liverpool

East Liverpool reported an early morning stage of 38 feet-five feet above flood stage—and expected a crest of 44 or 45 feet by tonight. The Ohio was rising there at a rate of half a foot an hour.

Gates of the flood wall at Wellsville were closed but 65 families living outside the wall were evacuated. Only 50 homes in low-lying sections around East Liverpool were flooded and only 15 families were forced to move.

Most of the New Cumberland, W. Va., business district was under water and 125 families had been moved out of their homes. Officials prepared to evacuate an additional 100 families today. The homeless were housed in churches and a community hall.

Relief agencies in the Cincinnati area, were taxed heavily and the American Red Cross reported 5,000 to 6,000 families evacuated from their homes on both sides of the river.

Blankets and supplies were rushed there from headquarters of the Army's Fifth Service command at Columbus, and the Coast Guard moved in with planes, helicopters and communications trucks to aid stricken communities.

Guard Mobilized

Emergency status was ordered for the Ohio State guard and more than 20 companies were mobilized. One of the four bridges leading from Cincinnati to Kentucky was closed; transportation facilities within the city were suspended over some regular lines, while others were detoured.

Millcreek valley, industrial heart of Cincinnati, struggled against a flank attack by the Millcreek itself. A flash flood almost nullified efforts of the state guard and recruited laborers who worked by floodlight, truck headlights and bonfires to raise the partially built barrier dam across the mouth of the creek.

The state highway patrol reported numerous roads closed as the result of flash floods in upstate streams in Hocking, Pickaway, Pike, Clinton, Fairfield, Noble, Carroll, Coshort and Guernsey counties. Marietta looked for a 42-foot stage early today with expectations of an additional six feet before the crest is reached.

At Bellaire seven coal mines employing 3,000 workers were closed because they were inaccessible. The Pennsylvania railroad was blocked by a rain-loosened landslide between Bellaire and Bridgeport.

Arrest Woman For Leaving Children

Mrs. Anna Sommers Bernard of the Pidgeon road, pleaded guilty to a charge of abandoning her two children here Feb. 9 when arranged before Justice of the Peace Felix P. Butch in Lisbon today. She was held for grand jury action on \$1,500 bail.

Mrs. Bernard, whose husband is serving with the U. S. Army in Germany, left Salem Feb. 9 and went to Baltimore, Md., in company with another man.

Probation Officer Russell Smith and Salem police investigated the case and learned of Mrs. Bernard's whereabouts. Sheriff George Hayes arrested her in Baltimore Monday and returned her to Salem.

Charged with a felony, Mrs. Bernard will appear before the April grand jury. She is being held in the county jail.

\$17,994 Places Red Cross Drive Past Halfway Mark

Salem's Red Cross War fund drive had passed the half-way mark today with receipts totaling \$17,994.26.

The city's quota in the campaign is \$32,300 and Chairman Carl Willman has increased the tempo of the drive with the expectation of reaching the figure by the end of the week.

Team workers are soliciting the business, shop and residential sections with pledge cards.

Freed In Philippines

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The War department announced the names of the following additional Ohio civilians liberated in the Philippines: Kienle, Rev. Alfred F.—Anna K. Horrigan, sister of Xenia. Missler, Karl E.—Miss Mildred Missler, sister of Lima. Stoll, Eugene Leo—A. Stoll, father, of Canton.

IMPORTANT MEETING THURSDAY

SALEM HUNTING CLUB



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SEWER RENTAL PLEA IS MADE BY BOARD

Health Department Urges Council To Enforce Existing Ordinance

Calling for action by city council to enforce an existing ordinance which provides a sewer rental charge as a means of income to support the sewage treatment plant the board of health, acting as individual citizens, last night presented a letter to the council.

Emphasizing the fact that the disposal plant was built 15 years ago and paid for by issuance of bonds, Dr. R. T. Holzbach, health commissioner, pointed out that replacement costs, approaching in the future, again will mean an indebtedness.

The letter stated, "The present disposal plant represents an original investment of approximately \$187,000. The plant was built 15 years ago and since that time the city of Salem has paid \$93,000 in interest alone; and in addition to this fact, no funds have been set up for replacement of this plant, a problem which will face council in the near future."

This plant operates seven days a week and 24 hours a day. Its present load is up to its peak and there has been a general increase in its use since its construction.

The estimated life of the improvement was 20 years and that period is getting shorter. If this plant should be broken down or any enlargement needed to increase its capacity, or if replacement was necessary at the present time, no funds are provided for this."

Plan New Scout Troop At First Friends Church

Scout Commissioner Eddie Howell will meet with a group of men of the First Friends church at 7:30 p. m. Friday at the church basement to discuss plans for organizing a Boy Scout troop.

This is one of the projects the Men's Missionary movement of the church is sponsoring and the committee in charge is comprised of Homer Ellyson, Scott Herbert, Kent Gilbert, Loren Pinn, and Oscar McGinnon.

Boys between the ages of 12 and 18 who wish to become Scouts are invited to the meeting.

Officer Kills Trapped Airman With Mercy Bullet, Acquitted

(By Associated Press)
KUNMING, March 2.—(Delayed)—An officer at a forward American air base who fired two mercy bullets into the head of a flier hopelessly trapped in a burning plane was acquitted today of voluntary manslaughter.

A general court martial of seven colonels from the U. S. 14th air force and associated service organizations returned the verdict. The defendant was a 31-year-old lieutenant colonel, commander of a fighter group, veteran of 80 air missions, and ranking officer at the base. The accident victim was a 26-year-old sergeant gunner in a B-25 bomber.

No names were given in this dispatch. Presumably censorship withheld them.

The crash occurred Jan. 18 when the craft overtook the runway on returning from a mission. The plane

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Mrs. Lulu Whitacre, R. D. Lee-tonia, gave an interesting talk on "Antique Glassware."

Pastors Make Plans For Good Friday Services

The annual Good Friday service sponsored by the Salem Ministerial association will be held at the First Friends church this year.

Plans for this service were made at a meeting of the association Monday at the public library. There will be seven periods in the service, beginning at 12 noon and continuing until 3 p. m., and seven ministers will have part in it.

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Prisoner Toll Is Boosted By Cologne Fall

(By The Associated Press)
PARIS, March 7.—The powerful American Third army drove routed Germans to within 15 miles of the Middle Rhine today while the First army fought within three miles of Bonn, 15 miles south of fallen Cologne.

On this fateful anniversary of Hitler's militarization of the now overrun Rhineland, the prisoner toll for all Allied armies on the Western front passed the million mark and rose above 100,000 for the current campaign.

A graveyard of German cities stretched from Cologne 50 miles back to the Reich frontier. Soon after that fourth city of Germany fell late yesterday, the American First and Ninth armies cleared the whole west bank of the Rhine from Rheinberg south to Cologne save for a fractional pocket at Zons, south of Dusseldorf. The distance was 45 airplane miles but nearer 70 as the Rhine flows.

The last sizeable German bridgehead west of the lower Rhine opposite West was hammered to a pile of rubble and debris in a five-mile wide. On Monday, 50,000 Germans were estimated to be in the pocket. Many have fled, but now the last two bridges at Wesel are virtually impassable.

Nazi troops who surveyed the debacle of Cologne fled south along the Rhine toward Bonn, a city of 101,000. The First army's Ninth division fought at dawn only three miles from Bonn, which lies almost defenseless on the west bank of the Rhine.

Capture Nazi General
Maj. Gen. Hugh Gaffey's Fourth armored division approached the middle Rhine in the Coblenz area after a 37-mile sweep since early Monday. His tanks and infantry captured vast stores of booty and captured the German commander of the 53rd corps, Lt. Gen. Graf Von Rothkirch who commented:

"How can you expect to win a war when you have no gasoline and no horses? It will all be over within four months—five months at the latest."

The exact spot where Gaffey was nearest the middle Rhine was not immediately announced. Censorship prevented naming the towns he overran in his five-mile overnight advance from a point 20 miles from Coblenz.

The Third army dash toward the Rhine outflanked the Saar industrial district from the north, just as the seventh army outflanked it from the south.

Prisoners were taken by the thousands. The whole German line in the Eifel was collapsing. Third army losses were extremely light, Associated Press Correspondents Edward D. Ball and Thorburn Wiant wireless.

Plunge Toward Rhine

The Fourth Armored division of the Third army was plunging toward the Rhine in a narrow corridor extending like a crooked finger northward from the Kyll bridgehead east of Bitburg. Infantry followed. Cologne and its vast ruins was the largest German city to fall in this war or the last. Its 768,000 peacetime population made it the size of Boston. It is the greatest traffic center in western Germany and was the site of vast industries.

Talks Feature Meeting Of Quota Club Tuesday

Short talks by five members added interest to a dinner meeting of the Quota club Tuesday evening at Memorial building. The talks were given by Miss Tamar Thumm, Mrs. John Douth, Mrs. A. Hansell, Mrs. Elizabeth Baker and Miss Nora Greenawald.

The table was appointed in green in keeping with St. Patrick's day. Miss Elsie Thomas, the president, presided. In a game prizes went to Miss Eva Simon, Mrs. Hansell, Miss Ella Stamp and Miss Ruth Hoch.

Misses Alice Gladden and Mona McArthur arranged the meeting. Rev. G. D. Keister, pastor of Holy Trinity English Lutheran church will be guest speaker at a meeting in two weeks.

Emeny Tells Rotary Club About Japan, Her People

Americans who have spent their lives in Japan still do not understand the Japanese people, George Emeny told Rotary club members at their meeting Tuesday noon in the Memorial building.

The speaker said he learned this in conversation with Americans when he made a trip to Japan about four years ago.

He told the Rotarians about Japan and her people, describing the islands, the customs, dress and habits of the Japanese. Harry Carlson presented him to the club.

Push Red Cross Drive

EAST LIVERPOOL, March 7.—This city's Red Cross war fund campaign for a \$44,500 quota nears the \$4,000 mark today, with house-to-house canvassing not expected to get under way until Monday.

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Unconditional Surrender

In the days immediately ahead the theory of Germany's unconditional surrender is to be tested in fact. If it works, the Germans will see first-hand the consequences of the wars they have precipitated twice in this century. They will realize they are not immune to the destruction their armies have wrought outside Germany's borders. They will learn the hard way that Germany cannot afford to resort to war again, and in the learning they also may learn to curse the militarists who have brought death and waste to the whole universe—including Germany. The argument over the theory of Germany's unconditional surrender is ended. Unconditional surrender is now becoming the fact.

Trial Balloon

Announcement of the voting plan devised at Yalta for the United Nations Security council suggests that the kite and trial balloon season may be arriving together.

There will be more than a month to discuss this important technicality before the United Nations conference convenes in San Francisco. Since it is easily the most controversial of all the technicalities likely to arise in cooperative security plans, discussion will be vigorous.

The hub of the Yalta plan is the requirement of unanimity among the five guarantors of security. Or, stating it in the way it is likely to be stated by realists who favor blunt words, it is the way Great Britain and the United States have surrendered to Russia on its insistence that any one member should have veto power over the decisions of the other powers.

Russia, of course, has a healthy fear of the consequences of international cooperation as well as strong misgivings about the intentions of some of the other cooperators. It is ironic that at a time when Americans believe Premier Stalin has a monopoly on diplomatic talking points, the Russians are more convinced than ever that they are dealing with international slickers. They were "jobbed," as they see it after the windup of World War I, and this time they intend to stay on guard.

The first step in American and British diplomacy has been to get Premier Stalin to negotiate at all—to come out of Russian isolation. Having persuaded him to negotiate, they have had to persuade him that Russia, like the other participants, had everything to gain and nothing to lose by international collaboration in the cause of security. That is probably the explanation for the concession on unanimity; Russia has been assured that it cannot be out-voted on the security council.

In its broad aspects, over and above the procedure for voting on specific questions of United Nations policy, it is evident that unanimity is the key to any success that may come from international cooperation. Dissent by any of the major powers on a major issue would mean the collapse of the security structure. In the League of Nations, withdrawal of Japan, then Germany, then Italy and, finally, the expulsion of Russia ruined the organization. Under the Dumbarton Oaks proposals, which call for the exercise of ultimate responsibility by major powers, the refusal of any one of them to stand with the others would mean the collapse of their joint enterprise.

The proposed voting plan now stands open to public discussion in advance of the San Francisco meeting late next month. Its implications can be fully discussed; all points of view can be aired. The plan is less than was hoped for by the bubble chasers, perhaps more than was believed possible by those who have taken refuge in cynicism. We shall know more about it a month from now when all public opinion has had a chance to crystallize. Meanwhile, it is a good idea to remember that cooperative security will not be attained by technicalities. It will be attained, if it is attainable, only by an honest desire to make further wars impossible. If any of the nations now talking about peace are lacking in sincerity, all the others are wasting their time and deluding their populations.

Frying Pan To Skillet

The shift from economic stabilization to federal lending, while it will not shove Fred M. Vinson out of the frying pan into the fire, clearly shoves him from a frying pan already hot into a skillet that is going to get hotter. Federal lending power, the key to state capitalism, has ceased to be a quiet spot for forgotten men.

Mr. Vinson, as economic stabilizer, has tried to reconcile a burning desire to keep prices down with red-hot insistence for pushing wages higher. It has been one of the New Deal's most thankless jobs. Mr. Vinson probably is glad to be safely out of it as he watches United Mine Workers and united thistles and thistles of all kinds preparing to use their flame throwers. But as loan administrator, if confirmed by the Senate, he will find many of the same organizations demanding his official life if he fails to please them.

His confirmation is said to be assured. The Senate has confidence in him. It lacked confidence in Henry A. Wallace to perform the same job, so it trimmed down the Department of Commerce to Mr. Wallace's size and made a separate job for loan administration. This has shocked certain persons who claim the chief executive's power of appointment should not be challenged, though the right to challenge it is specified in the Constitution. It would be interesting to see how they might talk themselves out of that untenable position if Mr. Roosevelt in the future juggling of his administrative circle named a conservative to head the Department of Labor, for instance.

Our Accidental Enemies

Viewing the haste of some governments to get on the right side before the end of the war, the insistence of some Italian politicians that their country should have full Allied status because it never really wanted to join the Axis and the apparent conviction of some politicians that Europeans are doing the United States a favor by letting Americans fight Germany from their soil, anyone with a trace of cynicism must begin to see one of the forthcoming certainties of World War II.

It is the certainty that when the last shot is fired all the belligerents will be found on the right side, according to their own claims. There will be no war guilt, no one who really believed in the Axis, no one who willingly supported the blood-letters who conspired in Berlin and Tokyo to kill and maim millions to further their ambitions. Hitler will mellow with the years and the courteous Japanese once more will be let in on our military secrets. All our enemies will turn out to be accidental. So sorry. And another Count von Luckner will tour America to tell mothers and fathers how he killed their sons.

From The News Files

Forty Years Ago

Mrs. Jabez Parsons of Newgarden st. slipped and fell Tuesday, breaking her arm.

Salem Prohibitionists have made plans for the county convention and district conference to be held here Saturday.

The Hope Cemetery association will meet this evening in the office of Judge J. C. Boone.

Henry Goodchild suffered an injury to his eye at the Silver plant yesterday.

Joseph Stratton has purchased the David Kirkbride property on E. Sixth st.

Frank Fults has returned to Ohio Wesleyan university after spending a week here with his parents.

Mrs. Conrad Mildred, daughter of Samuel Fleukiger, is seriously ill.

Ed. Stratton has purchased a home on Euclid st. from Homer Silver.

Louis Morris has accepted a position as a stenographer in Cleveland.

The Teachers' group and Christian Study class of the Presbyterian Sunday school met last evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Swan, McKinley ave.

Thirty Years Ago

During February there were 21 births and six deaths in Salem.

Mrs. Thomas Carr entertained 16 neighbors Thursday at her home on the Ellsworth road.

Members of the Woodland Avenue club gave Mrs. David Foltz a dinner at her home Thursday.

Mrs. Ross Meiser was hostess to members of the Ellsworth Avenue club at her home on Ellsworth ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McVey were presented many gifts at a shower at their home on Green st. Wednesday night.

Clara and Alice Bennett are visiting in East Palestine.

Mrs. Addison Coy, ill at her home on Ohio ave., is reported improved.

John Post went to Pittsburgh Thursday on business.

Twenty Years Ago

A fire destroyed the house owned by L. A. Coy on the Albany road yesterday.

Two one-act plays featured the program when the Baptist Young People's society held a Shamrock social in the church parlors yesterday.

Miss Lottie Baker will spend the weekend in Alliance visiting Miss Gertrude Brown.

John O. and Myrtle Lora of Franklin ave. have purchased the Dr. James Atchison residence on E. High st.

Members of the Hustlers class of the F. W. O. Friends church were entertained by Gordon Rich Friday evening at his home.

Mrs. James Hill entertained members of the Friday Night Bridge club last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Whinnery have returned from a trip to Iowa.

Salem High's basketball team lost its first game in the district tournament at Goodyear gym in Akron today.

The Stars Say

For Thursday, March 8

THE LUNAR transits for this day are most auspicious and encouraging for all sorts of domestic, social, artistic and affectional matters, and favor as well those business operations concerning the advancement and enhancement of these. Nevertheless, there are signs of stubborn obstacles, opposition from elders, employers or superiors, together with intrigue, craft, subtlety and duplicity to be carefully, shrewdly and diplomatically disposed of before real happiness and accomplishment may climax such benign prospects. Think deeply, move cautiously, with consideration, finesse and amiability, for much gratification is in sight.

Those whose birthday it is are promised a year of celebrations, social functions, domestic and cultural activity, with happy fulfillments in romance, or affectional relations. But elders or employers may attempt to block this felicity, and these must be placated or mollified, by finesse, compromise, tact or diplomacy.

As well, there is a menace of depeated attack behind the scenes, where betrayal, intrigue and illicit maneuvers must be uncovered and decisively vanquished. Such might best be accomplished by a kindred program of well-thought out strategies or careful intrigues or shrewdness, but do not be snared by appearances.

A child born on this day will have many social and cultural graces, and should be popular, affectionate, and well intentioned. But difficulties and subtle dangers may prove "the fly in the ointment" of such felicity.

Two-Way Deal

An executive of the Textile Workers of America (CIO) is quoted as saying that "we will fill the mills" of New Bedford, Mass., tire plants if the government operates these plants without profit to the owners.

It would seem, perhaps, that the controversy in the "guinea pig" labor draft case in New Bedford is over management profit from war business, rather than government assignment of labor.

But if the tire plants should provide industrial facilities for the government without profit, it might seem only fair that the workers draw the prevailing government wage paid other drafted men in uniform—say, \$50 a month. If the arrangement is fair, it ought to work both ways.

German Plays a Jap Trick



Three American soldiers stagger dazedly from explosion of a hand grenade set off by a German prisoner while they searched him. The German, taken in the Roer river crossing, lies dead in the foreground. A fourth Yank lies wounded near the tree at left, blown to the ground by the explosion, and attempts to lift himself by his rifle. His comrade standing over him is badly wounded, too, and can give no help (note odd way he holds his rifle).

GUARDING YOUR HEALTH

Regarding Troubles of Thymus Gland

BY HERMAN BUNDESEN, M. D.
THE thymus gland is located under the upper end of the sternum, just exactly what purpose this gland has in the body is not known. It was noted that by the time a child reaches the maturing period, the gland usually has greatly decreased in size, and has almost disappeared.

However, there are many physicians who believe that enlargements of the thymus gland may occur in infants and produce pressure on the windpipe. On the other hand, many others do not believe this ever occurs.

Those who support the idea that the thymus may press on the windpipe, believe that the enlarged gland may be shown in the X-ray plate and that symptoms being produced by the enlarged thymus are relieved when the gland is treated by X-ray to reduce its size. Infants who supposedly have an enlarged thymus suffer from difficulty in breathing, noisy breathing and sometimes coughing.

The skin may develop a blue tinge, called cyanosis, due to the fact that insufficient air is getting into the lungs.

Those who believe that enlargement of the thymus gland does not cause pressure, point out that it would be difficult for soft tissue, such as the thymus gland, to compress the windpipe, which has rings of cartilage in it.

They also note that large tumor growths may occur in the neighborhood of the windpipe without causing any compression. They also indicate that there is no close relationship between the symptoms which are thought to be due to pressure, and the size of the shadow made by the thymus gland in the X-ray plate. In addition, other causes for such symptoms as shortness of breath and cyanosis can often be shown to exist in these infants.

In infants who have died from other causes, examination of the thymus gland in many instances has shown it to be enlarged without having produced any symptoms whatsoever. In a study made in Chicago over a period of years, no cases have been found of infants who definitely could have been stated to have succumbed to thymus gland disease.

It would appear that this question is still open to some argument, but at present it is likely that the symptom of shortness of breath and blue-ness of the skin which occur in new-born infants are probably due, in most instances, to such causes as brain injuries or some disturbance of the windpipe itself, or perhaps a disorder of the lungs.

(Dr. Bundesen will answer letters containing medical questions only through his column.)

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Sheriff Will Address Columbiana War Dads

COLUMBIANA, March 7.—The local chapter, American War Dads, will meet at 8 tonight when Sheriff Ralph Elser of Youngstown will be the guest speaker.

The program will also feature music and talks by servicemen home on furlough.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert E. Mortensen and children, and his sister, Thelma Mae, will have moved from their apartment, Powers building to the Nazarene parsonage, Union street. Rev. Mortensen is an evangelist with the Nazarene church.

Rotarians enjoyed a talk Monday evening at the meeting at Valley Golf club by Rev. Waldo J. Bartels who spoke on "China." Rev. Bartels traced the civilization of China and told of their libraries, explaining that they had been unearthed as far back as 50 centuries ago.

Elmer Coyle was welcomed back after several weeks' absence while in Florida. H. A. Tuttle of Youngstown was a guest.

Towasi class of the Presbyterian church will meet at the church this evening for the annual election of officers. Mrs. J. K. McDivitt will be the devotional leader. The program will be in charge of Mrs. C. F. Moser.

RENEW CHARTER FOR GREENFORD SCOUTS

GREENFORD, March 7.—Scout Executive Byers of the suburban district of Mahoning Valley council presented the Boy Scout charter for another year to the Greenford Lutheran church troop Sunday.

The local adult committee is composed of Ralph Dressel, chairman, Dewey Bush, A. B. Williamson, A. J. Cross, Myron Roller and Raymond Rhodes.

Dressel presented certificate of thanks to the following members present: William Weikart, George West, Richard Dinsmore, Joseph Bush, William and Robert Dressel, Richard Lerman and Galen Rich.

Those not present: William, Walter and Vernon and James Feicht Dale Calvin, Curtis Jarvis, Francis O'Block, Robert Zimmerman, Paul Hoffman, Neil White and James Lippert.

W. W. Bailey, scoutmaster for the last three and one-half years, related that the group collected 11½ tons of waste paper the last year, distributed 12 baskets at Christmas and donated to the Red Cross.

The group organized with 12 members, three of them now in the armed forces. William and George Bush and William Zimmerman. The present enrollment is

Succeeds Harmon



MAJ. GEN. WILLIS M. HALE has been named to succeed the missing Lt. Gen. Millard F. Harmon as commander of Army Air Forces, Pacific Ocean area, Kansas City, Kan. Hale, 52, was appointed Jan. 13 as Harmon's deputy commander and before that time was commanding general of shore-based aircraft, Central Pacific forward area. General Harmon is mysteriously missing with nine other officers and men on a trans-Pacific flight. (International)

Midway Grange Will Hold Benefit Red Cross Dance

LEETONIA, March 7.—Midway grange will sponsor a benefit dance at its hall, south of Leetonia, on Saturday evening.

The proceeds will be turned over to the Red Cross and will be divided between Salem and Fairfield townships. The committee in charge are Leroy Rice, Lawrence Lodge and Theron Caldwell.

Friendly class of St. Paul's Lutheran church was entertained at the church parlors Monday evening with Mrs. Walter Windram and Mrs. John Shelton associate hostesses.

The Servicemen's Wives of St. Paul's Lutheran church were entertained at the church parlors Sunday evening with Mrs. Marian Holoway, Mrs. June Warner and Mrs. Darlene Thomas associate hostesses.

Mrs. Ora Montgomery of Salem spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Halverstadt south of town, have received word of the safe arrival in Italy of their son, Pvt. Richard Halverstadt.

• RADIO PROGRAMS

Wednesday Evening

6:00—KDKA, Music Shop
WADC, Curtain Time
6:15—WKBN, Music Satisfies
6:30—KDKA, Bernie Armstrong
WTAM, Jake and Lena
WKBN, College Library
WADC, Ellery Queen
6:45—WTAM, Nina Ruvinoff
WKBN, Record
7:00—WTAM, KDKA, The Northa
WKBN, WADC, Jack Carson
7:30—WTAM, KDKA, Chester Cart'n
WKBN, Dr. Christian
8:00—WKBN, KDKA, Eddie Cantor
WKBN, Frank Sinatra
8:30—WTAM, KDKA, Dist. Atty.
WKBN, Which Is Which
9:00—WTAM, KDKA, Kay Kyser
WKBN, Great Music
9:30—WKBN, Let Yourself Go
10:00—WTAM, Supper Club
WKBN, Jack Kirkwood
10:15—WADC, So The Story Goes
KDKA, Lullaby Time
10:30—KDKA, High-Hat club
WTAM, Symphonette
WKBN, Basketball
11:00—KDKA, Midnite Roundup
11:15—WTAM, Starlite Serenade
KDKA, Music You Want
WKBN, For the Girls
11:30—WTAM, Henry George or
KDKA, Dance Designs
WKBN, Masterworks
12:00—WTAM, Music You Want
12:30—WTAM, Unfinished Business

Thursday Morning

8:00—WTAM, Musical Clock
9:15—WTAM, Salt and Peanuts
KDKA, Linda's First Love
WADC, Popular Music
8:30—WTAM, Daytime Classics
KDKA, Editor's Daughter
9:45—KDKA, Hearts in Harmony
WKBN, This Life Is Mine
9:15—WADC, Wild Oscar
WTAM, KDKA, Lora Lawton
WKBN, American Music
9:30—WTAM, Finders Keepers
KDKA, Morning Musicale
WKBN, WADC, Ch. World
9:45—WKBN, Bach, Children
10:00—WTAM, KDKA, Rd. of Life
WADC, Honeycomb Hill
10:15—WTAM, KDKA, Rosemary
WADC, Second Husband
10:45—WTAM, KDKA, David Har'm
WKBN, Aunt Jenny
11:00—WTAM, Linda's First Love
WKBN, WADC, Kate Smith
11:15—WTAM, Editor's Daughter
WKBN, Big Sister
11:30—WTAM, Hearts in Harmony
WKBN, WADC, Helen Trent
11:45—WKBN, WADC, Gal Sunday
WTAM, Organ Melodies

Thursday Afternoon

12:00—WKBN, Life Beautiful
12:15—WTAM, Hasteen The Day
KDKA, Music For You
WADC, Ma Perkins
12:30—KDKA, Home Forum
WTAM, Lenten Service
WKBN, Chapel of Bells
12:45—WKBN, WADC, Goldbergs
1:00—WTAM, KDKA, Gd. Light
WKBN, Jove Jordan
1:15—WTAM, Today's Children
WKBN, Two On a Clue
1:30—WTAM, Woman in White
WKBN, WADC, Perry Mason
1:45—WTAM, KDKA, Hymns
WKBN, Overseas Mail

2:00—WTAM, KDKA, Am. Wom.
WKBN, WADC, Mary Marlin
2:15—WTAM, KDKA, Ma Perkins
WADC, Tena and Tim
2:30—WTAM, KDKA, Pep. Young
WKBN, Sing Along Club
2:45—WTAM, KDKA, Happiness
WKBN, WADC, High Places
3:00—WTAM, KDKA, Back. Wite
WKBN, House Party
3:15—WTAM, KDKA, St. Dallas
3:30—WTAM, KDKA, Lor. Jones
WKBN, Feature Time
WADC, This and That
3:45—WTAM, KDKA, Wm. Brown
WKBN, Milt Herth Trio
WADC, Big Sister
4:00—WTAM, KDKA, Girl Marries
WKBN, Victory Weapons
4:15—WTAM, Portia Faces Life
WKBN, Milt Herth Trio
4:30—WTAM, KDKA, Plain Bill
WKBN, Pappy Cheshire
4:45—WKBN, Wilderness Road
5:15—KDKA, Memory Time

Thursday Evening

6:00—KDKA, Music Shop
WADC, Looking Back
6:15—WKBN, Music Satisfies
6:30—WTAM, KDKA, Bob Burns
WADC, Mr. Keen
WKBN, Jimmy Fidler
7:00—WTAM, KDKA, Fr. Morgan
WKBN, Suspense
7:30—WTAM, KDKA, Dinah Shore
WKBN, WADC, Bing Crosby
8:00—WTAM, KDKA, Bing Crosby
WKBN, Stars Shower
8:30—WTAM, KDKA, Davis-Haley
WKBN, Corliss Archer
9:00—WKBN, WADC, First Line
9:30—WTAM, KDKA, Rudy Vallee
WADC, Here's to Romance
10:00—WTAM, Supper Club
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11:15—WTAM, Starlight Serenade
KDKA, Music You Want
11:30—WTAM, New World Music
KDKA, Listening Design
WKBN, Masterworks
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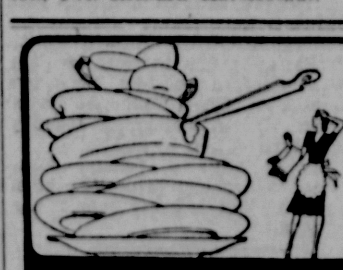
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Death's BRIGHT DIAMONDS

by Lionel Mosher

CHAPTER ONE

I came up on deck. I looked out across the harbor at pier 14 a mere 400 yards away. And I felt very, very good.

Then behind me someone coughed. I turned. There stood Booker. In the shelter of the windscreen, he lit a cigarette. On his lips was a wintry smile. That little feeling of self-congratulation which one experiences on coming safely through a hazardous affair evaporated.

"Well, Trent," Booker leaned his arms on the rail beside me, "we made it."

My presence on the boat was explained by an encounter with a buzz-bomb which had figuratively blown me out of the pilot's seat of a B-17 to a position of temporary retirement before going back to my old job of aircraft designing. Booker's presence on the boat remained unexplained.

"Back to Boston and the little girl on Beacon Hill, eh?"

"Eh," I said.

Then to your desk at the Beacon Aircraft," Booker's thin lips curved in a derisive smile.

I looked at him. I hadn't remembered being so confidential. Booker stared down into the water where the October winds made plumes of foam. He dropped his cigarette into the harbor.

His eyes rested speculatively upon me.

The Hudsons are very influential people," he said. "The little girl on—"

"Miss Hudson," I said.

He smiled.

"She would take a lot of supporting."

"Would she?"

"This war is not going to last forever, Trent. When it is over, there will be an oversupply of airplane designers. You might like to fortify yourself against that eventuality."

"Life insurance?" I asked.

"No." He did not smile. "You would not be a good risk."

It wasn't so much what he said; it was the way he said it.

"That sounds like a threat."

"Good heavens, no." He laughed and I observed that his teeth needed attention. "I am merely giving you an opportunity to cash in on a risk which you must inevitably take. You are not responsible for the accidents of birth and environment. But you can take advantage of them instead of suffering because of them."

"I haven't the faintest notion of what you're talking about," I said, "and I am not in the least interested."

He took out a cigarette and tapped it on his thumbnail. All the warmth had gone out of his face.

"Listen, Trent," he said. "I'll be at the Vendome in Boston until Tuesday. Think it over and get in touch with me."

"If I'm half as sleepy as I feel," I said, "I won't wake up until Wednesday morning."

Pat Hudson was the loveliest girl I knew. She stood on the platform beside Charley Strand and together they are two of the very few people in the world who really care what happens to me. Charley is single, sane, and blessed with a very sane sense of immediacy. Now he sensed something sentimentally unique in the situation and he was effacing himself bravely by looking

Ration Calendar For the Week

MEATS, FATS, ETC.—Book 4 red stamps Q5 through S5 good through March 31. Stamps T5 through X5 good through April 28; Y5 and Z5 and A2 through D2 good through June 2; E2 through J2 good through June 30.

PROCESSED FOODS—Book 4 blue stamps X5 through Z5 and A2 and B2 good through March 31. Stamps C2 through G2 good through April 28; H2 through M2 good through June 3; N2 through S2 good through June 30.

SUGAR—Book 4 stamp 25 valid for five pounds through June 2. Next stamp scheduled to be validated May 1.

SHOES—Book 3 airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 valid indefinitely. OPA says no plans to cancel any.

GASOLINE—14A coupons good everywhere for four gallons each through March 21. B5, C5, B6, C6, B7 and C7 coupons good everywhere for five gallons.

FUEL OIL—Last year's period four and five coupons and this year's period one through five coupons good everywhere throughout the heating year.

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7 Too
8 Lock opener
9 Smooth
10 Musical note
11 Crazy
12 Excitement
13 Possesses

21 Measure of length
23 Indian
24 Infant
26 Woody plants
28 At no time
31 Be indebted
33 Kitchen utensil
36 Observe
37 Moist
38 Uppermost part
39 Narrow inlet

40 Also
41 Her
42 Against
43 Place
49 Group of three
50 On the ocean
51 Group of three
53 Account (ab.)
55 Vehicle
56 Compass point
57 Skill
58 Epistle (ab.)
61 Written form of Mister

11 Lyric poem
12 Verbal
13 Evening
14 Alleged force
15 Transgressions
16 Biblical pronoun
17 Spoil
19 Him
20 Either
22 Negative word
25 Paid notice
26 Tantalum (symbol)
27 Upon
29 Toward
30 Portals
32 Station
34 Us
35 Virginia (ab.)
36 Sugary
39 Leases
42 Electrical engineer (ab.)
43 Therefore
44 Iridium (symbol)
45 Exclamation
46 Greek letter
48 Place (ab.)
50 Rough lava
51 Pedal digit
52 Sodium (symbol)
54 Frosts a cake
57 Measure of area
58 Elements (ab.)

Churchill Takes Close Look At Siegfried Line



Prime Minister Churchill takes a close look at the Siegfried Line dragon's teeth defenses in the Aachen area, accompanied by Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery, left, Sir Alan Brooke, chief of the Imperial General Staff, and Lt. Gen. William H. Simpson, commander of the U. S. Ninth army.

(NEA Radio-Telephoto)

Stretcher Cases on the "March of Death"



American prisoners near Camp O'Donnell on the "March of Death" in 1942. They carry comrades who dropped along the way in improvised stretchers. The picture was captured from the Japs and released by the United States Army.

(NEA Telephoto)

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Washingtonville

Women's Society of Christian Service held its monthly meeting in the church parlors Friday evening in charge of the president, Mrs. Clarence Baker.

Devotions were led by Mrs. William Bell. The Book report "Three Lives" was discussed by Mrs. Charles Senior, Mrs. Louis Atkinson and Mrs. Harold Rohrer. A social hour with lunch followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baker spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowker in Alliance. Mr. and Mrs. Bowker's son, Harry, Jr., is still confined to an England hospital.

Entertains Class

The Rebekah class of the Methodist church, taught by Mrs. T. C. Riddle, was entertained Wednesday evening by Miss Greta Lederle.

Contests were enjoyed with prizes awarded to Mrs. Don Rowcda, Misses Bernice Weikart and Helen Mae Atkinson.

Mrs. Fred Girard was hostess to Fortnightly club members Wednesday evening. Mrs. Charles Homan of Salem was a guest.

Card prizes were won by Mrs. Sadie Stouffer, Mrs. H. L. McIntosh and Mrs. Homan. Mrs. H. L. McIntosh will be the next hostess.

Mrs. Louis Stouffer entertained five hundred club members Wednesday evening with honors awarded to Mrs. Walter Tourdot, Mrs. Marie Stouffer and Mrs. Emmett Bruder.

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Greenford Spelling Champs Are Chosen

GREENFORD, March 7. — The spelling champs from the following grades, 3rd, Shirley Arkwright, Larry Doyle; 4th, Leonard Franklin, John Butka; 5th, Earnestine Sigle, Franklin Hull; 6th, Janet Coy, Alice Doty; 7th, Dorothy Reed, Dorothy Holben; 8th, Enid Kentzel and John Rubich participated in a final test conducted by Supt. A. J. Cobbs.

Enid Kentzel was the winner and Earnestine Sigle runner up.

Juniors Plan Play

The Juniors will present a comedy "Tom Sawyer" Friday evening, March 16, at the school auditorium. The Red Cross drive is in full swing. Emmett Justice, chairman, has planned a house to house canvass.

Lester MacDonnell received word that his mother, Mrs. Francis MacDonnell, died Sunday evening at her home in Akron. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon. His father died several months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bailey attended the scouters banquet Saturday evening at Youngstown.

Club Will Meet

The Home Circle club will have an all day meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. N. H. Knopp. A coverdinner will be served at noon.

The expansion committee has reorganized a Luther league group. Sunday evening 21 persons were present at which time they elected officers:

President, William Weikart, vice president, William Dressel; secretary, Eleanor Roller; and treasurer, Galen Rich.

The participants in the Easter cantata practiced Sunday at the Christian church. Next Sunday they will practice at the Lutheran church at 2. The group consists of some 40 voices.

Blarney Belle



PRETTY NOEL NEILL, movie actress, exemplifies the spirit of St. Patrick's day in a be-shamrocked sort of way, and we seriously doubt if the Irish mind, even a little bit, the position of the "topper."

(International)

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Book Review Is Presented To Travelers

Mrs. D. C. Rosing reviewed the book, "Papa is a Preacher" at a meeting of the Travelers club Tuesday afternoon at the assembly room, public library. Miss Helen Derfus played two piano solos, "Scherzo in E Flat Minor" (Brahms) and "Intermezzo" (Brahms).

Tea was served Mrs. Percy Tucker and Mrs. Harold Braman.

The committee in charge was composed of Mrs. John Mulford, Mrs. R. A. Lamont, Mrs. Burr Leeper, Mrs. Floyd McKee, Mrs. Henry Hurlburt, Mrs. Harold Musser, Mrs. Tucker, Miss Helen French, Mrs. H. K. Yaggi, and Mrs. George Emeny.

Engagement Revealed During Luncheon

Announcement of the engagement of Miss Frances Jamison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Jamison, Beaver Falls, Pa., to Pfc. George Johnson Rhodes, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rhodes, Homewood ave., was made at a luncheon given recently by the bride-elect's mother at Brodhead hotel in Beaver Falls.

Miss Jamison, and Rhodes, a former Beaver Falls resident, are graduates of Geneva college. Beaver Falls Miss Jamison is employed by the International Business Machine Co., Cleveland, and Pfc. Rhodes is a student in the medical school at Western Reserve university, Cleveland.

Mrs. G. W. Rhodes was among the guests at the luncheon.

Thelma Arter Is Bride Of James Brumbaugh

Miss Thelma Arter, former Salem school teacher, was married recently to James Brumbaugh of Atwater, in a ceremony performed by Rev. J. M. Cameron, retired Presbyterian minister, at his home in Lisbon.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crosser, sister and brother-in-law of the bride. Mrs. Brumbaugh was attired in a dark blue tailored suit with white accessories and wore an orchid corsage.

The couple left following the ceremony for a short honeymoon trip through the east. They will make their home with the Brumbaughs in Atwater upon their return.

Youngstown Artist On Club Program Here

Members of the Salem Artists club held their monthly meeting Tuesday evening at the Arbaugh building.

Fred Yost of the Butler Art Gallery, Youngstown, was guest speaker. He concluded his interesting discussion of water colors with a demonstration of his individual technique. The completed painting was won by Miss Annabel Christ. Yost's water color paintings have received recognition in the annual New Year's show at the Youngstown gallery for four consecutive years. At present Yost is conducting a class in art in Salem.

Plan Fellowship Supper At Friends Church

Dr. W. R. Williams, Damascus, will be guest speaker at a fellowship supper at 6:30 p. m. Thursday at the First Friends church, sponsored by the Men's Missionary movement of the church. Members of the Esther H. Butler, Ruth, and Elsie Matti circles, women's missionary units, are invited.

Dr. Williams superintends all the mission work in Ohio Yearly meeting of Friends and is editor of the Oriental News, mission paper.

Past Chief Association Will Meet Thursday

The Past Chiefs association, Pythian Sisters, will hold a meeting at 3 p. m. Thursday in K of P hall. There will be a coverdinner supper at 5:30. All members are asked to attend.

A regular meeting of the Pythian Sisters will be at 7:30. The team will practice for inspection to be held in April.

Elks Auxiliary To Hold Party On March 20

When members of the Elks auxiliary met Tuesday evening at the lodge home plans were made for a penny party.

Arrangements are in charge of the social committee, of which Mrs. Paul Harrington, is chairman. It will be held on Tuesday evening, March 20, following the regular session at 8.

Marriage Licenses

Robert F. Green, East Palestine, soldier, and Lois Barclay, East Palestine.

Dwight S. Birch, East Liverpool, potter, and Theresa G. Saling, East Liverpool.

Pvt. Richard C. Lozier of Camp Fannin, Texas, is spending a furlough with his wife, Mary Martha, and son, Richard, Jr., and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lozier, E. Third st.

Mrs. Glenn Switzer, W. Pershing st., and Mrs. Charles Tempin, Homewood ave., spent today in Youngstown.

Mrs. George Auday, Franklin st., has returned from Pittsburgh, where she visited relatives.

Mrs. Lydia Stiver, W. Eighth st., is spending a few days in Alliance, the guest of Mrs. William Sheets.

Mrs. Mary Robinson, E. Fourth st., left Tuesday for Akron to visit Mrs. Ralph Stoope.

Mrs. Ida Hickey, Franklin st., is visiting relatives in Pittsburgh.

Son Wed by Mother



Screen star Robert Cummings had the unusual experience of being married by his mother, the Rev. Ruth K. Cummings, when Mrs. Cummings officiated at the recent marriage of her son to actress Mary Elliott. In photo above, Rev. Cummings looks on as her son, now an AAF pilot instructor, places the ring on Miss Elliott's hand during ceremony at Mission Inn, Riverside, Calif.

Ina Mae Getz Engaged To Ensign Williams

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Getz, 152 Vine ave., announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Ina Mae, to Ensign David A. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Williams, of New Waterford.

The wedding will be solemnized at 8 p. m. Friday at the Methodist church. Open church will be observed.

Couple Mark Fourth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Johnston, W. Fifth st., celebrated their fourth wedding anniversary Sunday entertaining at a family dinner. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Johnston and family, Mineral Ridge.

W. C. T. U. Members Plan Institute Attendance

Representatives from the Salem union plan to attend the Columbus County W. C. T. U. institute, which will be held in the Grace Reformed church, in Columbiana, at 10 a. m. Tuesday, March 20.

Delay Guild Meeting

A meeting of the Harriet Watt guild of the Episcopal church which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. Fred Smith has been postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. McNabb, N. Elsworth ave., returned Wednesday from Byesville, where they were called by the death of Mr. McNabb's mother, Mrs. Grant Weekley. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Yaefer, R.D. Salem, attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Daniels and Miss Betty Daniels, R. D. Salem have gone to Phoenix, Ariz., to make their home.

Miss Thelma Balmer, Washington, D. C., was a Salem visitor Monday afternoon.

Joseph J. Waechter, who has been ill, has resumed his duties at the Sears Roebuck store.

Try putting a quarter teaspoon of poultry seasoning in your meat loaf for added flavor.

To prevent steel wool from rusting, dry it out on the radiator after using.

Flying Fashion



Though her feet are firmly planted on the ground now, this flyer of the future is all set for the day when girls will be flying air flippers. Her aviatrix's costume, which designer Philip Mangone forecasts for postwar wear, includes coat and slacks ensemble with helmet and goggles of gray visor cloth gabardine, trimmed with navy leather to match the cavalry-styled leather boots.

With District Men In The Service

Pfc. Robert Slagle of Greenford recently received the Expert Infantryman's badge. He now has an APO address which is: Pfc. Robert Slagle, 35922075, Co. B, 387 Inf., APO, 445 care postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Corp. Edwin P. Huffnagle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Huffnagle of Leontonia, is home from the Naval hospital, Great Lakes, Ill., having received an honorable discharge from the U. S. Marines.

Chester Stuffer of the Depot rd has received a change of address for his son, Pvt. Richard Stuffer, formerly stationed at F. Meade, Md. It is: Pvt. Richard Stuffer, 35849906, Co. I, 255 Inf., APO, 410, care postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Sergt. Audley H. Hollabaugh has advised his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hollabaugh of New Waterford that he was awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious service in France and Luxembourg.

As a section sergeant in a truck platoon he has been responsible for maintenance and operation of eight vehicles. They traveled 166,000 miles without an accident or having any of the trucks "deadlined" for more than a day. He is with the headquarters infantry division of the Third army in France.

Dominic V. Ferreri, seaman second class, has been transferred from Hawaii to the South Pacific. His new address is: Dominic V. Ferreri, S. 2, S.L.C.U. 28, Navy 3149, care Fleet postoffice, San Francisco, Calif.

Pvt. Arthur C. Hoover, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Hoover, Buckeye ave., has been assigned a new address. He was formerly stationed at Fort Benning, Ga. His address is: Pvt. Arthur C. Hoover, 35929610, Infantry Parachute Co. "C", 4th Platoon, APO 15863, care of postmaster, New York City.

Pfc. Raymond O. Spencer, who was wounded in France, has recovered and is back in action near Luxembourg, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Spencer of Hillsdale, were informed recently. His address is: Pfc. Raymond O. Spencer, 359-7176, Battery A 253rd "D" Armored Field Artillery Bn., APO 403, care postmaster, New York City.

Warrant Officer James Corso, husband of Mrs. Harriett Corso, 581 1/2 E. State st., is on his way home from 39 months service in Australia and New Guinea with the U. S. Maritime service. The Salem officer, who hasn't been home in over three years, is expected to arrive any day, his wife was notified.

Corp. Claude Julian, who spent 22 months in the South Pacific, is spending a 23-day furlough with his wife, Agnes, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sunderman, at Washingtonville.

Household Hints

To avoid curdled custards, tough fried eggs and shrunken omelets, always cook eggs at a low temperature.

Milk, eggs and fat to be used in cake should be taken out of the refrigerator about an hour before mixing to take off the chill.

Hot water used to rinse rice after cooking will remove loose starch and separate the grains of cooked rice better.

Store potatoes in a shallow container to allow the air to circulate. This will prevent sprouting and spoilage.

At least three eggs should be eaten every week as eggs are a good source of iron, protein and vitamins.

To save time, scald dishes with boiling water and leave them on rack to dry instead of wiping them dry.

Flood Refugee 115 Years Old



William Welch, whose Civil war discharge credentials show him to be 115 years old, "refuels" at a Red Cross mobile unit at Cincinnati after being driven from his home by the Ohio river flood.

Christian Science Debate Proves Big Problem To Senate Judiciary Committee

(By Associated Press)
Columbus, March 7.—The question of whether Christian Science practitioners should be allowed to charge fees for "spiritual healing" has become a big problem to the judiciary committee of the Ohio senate.

The committee wrestled with it for two hours last night in the second public hearing on a bill of Sen. Virgil E. Cramer (R) of Toledo, then postponed a vote for two weeks.

Several committee members said they wished more time to study the "constitutional aspects" of the proposed legislation. The Cramer bill, similar to measures which have been advanced unsuccessfully for several years, reads: "Any provision of the general code to the contrary notwithstanding, the ministering to human ills through prayer or spiritual means alone, in accordance with the tenets or teachings of Christian Science, by a member in good standing of the Christian Science church, shall not be regarded as practicing medicine."

COUNTY TO REPAIR 90 MILES OF ROADS

LISBON, March 7.—County commissioners will open bids March 30 for resurfacing approximately 90 miles of county and township highways with bituminous material.

County Engineer Charles O. Snyder said today that the cost has been estimated at \$60,000. Approximately 540,000 gallons of "mix" will be required for the various projects. County maintenance crews will spread the material.

Roads to be resurfaced will depend upon a survey of the various highways after the frost has left the ground.

Signs have been placed on all highways for trucks to reduce loads 25 per cent, this being an order of the state highway department.

Opportunities to buy to advantage are found daily in The News classified advertising columns.

DAMASCUS

Mrs. Kathryn Biery of Beloit, R.D. and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yates and son of Salem were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Yates.

Mrs. Earl Mather of Mount Union spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mather and daughter, Albert Dale Borton, Jr., who entered the Navy is at Great Lakes Training station. His address is: Albert Dale Borton, Jr., A. S. Company 285, U.S.N.T.S., 950-32-15.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pratt of Beloit visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mather Sunday. Charles Mather, who received a fractured leg recently, is able to walk with crutches.

Mrs. Cora Briggs of Alliance spent Sunday with her son, Virgil, and family.

Miss Velma Schaub spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Schaub in Louisville.

Girl Scouts Busy
The Puellae Laetae patrol of the Damascus Girl Scout troop will collect waste paper Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Delzell of Alliance visited his mother, Mrs. Abbie Delzell, Sunday.

Mrs. G. H. McDonald is reported ill. Miss Ellen June McDonald of Mount Union college spent the weekend with her parents.

Attend Wedding
Mrs. Paul Bayless and Mrs. Thomas Powell attended the wedding of Dale Oliphant and Miss Ruth Aherns at Alliance Sunday.

Mrs. Birdie Gibson of Avalon is visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Cameron.

Richard Griffith returned to school Monday after a week's absence with the flu.

Miss Vera Spencer, Beverly Bayless and Bruce Bayless are recovering from the mumps.

Mrs. Maggie Lindesmith visited her sister, Mrs. Norman Muntz of Salem over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cameron accompanied by Mrs. Iva Powell and Mrs. Charles Smith of Sebring, visited friends in Ravenna Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Strawn and Mrs. Florence Weaver visited Sunday with Alfred and Frank Good of Franklin Square and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Price of Lisbon.

COURTS

New Cases

David R. Roberts, East Liverpool, vs Nina E. Roberts; divorce, adultery.

Harry Johnston, East Liverpool, vs Mary Johnston; divorce, gross neglect.

Court Entries

Paul Weaver, admr. Canton, vs Pennsylvania Railroad Co. action for damages.

Beryl M. Bess, Wellsville, vs Beulah M. Bess; divorce granted plaintiff extreme cruelty. Defendant restored to maiden name of Beulah Johnson. Defendant to pay costs.

Real Estate Transfers

Galen K. Weaver to Alice Wetzel, lot, Salem.

Agatha McNaughton to Ralph Ball, lots, Salem.

Alice V. Hoopes to Chester Domes et ux, lot, Kensington.

C. V. Rice et vir to Cuthbert Wheatley et ux, lot, Salineville.

Eileen C. Crawford to Frank Ashley, tract, Center township.

G. C. Rauch et ux to Louis Hedl, lot, Lisbon.

James Price to Louis Hedl, lot, Lisbon.

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Columbiana Unseats 1944 State Champions By 53-36 Score

Down Scrappy Akron Ellet To Move Into District B Final On Saturday's Card

Columbiana's Clippers, despite a poor night and a mild case of "tournament jitters", rolled to their first victory in the Kent district tournament last night and in doing so eliminated last year's state champions, Akron Ellet, from further play by a 53-36 score.

In 1944 it was Ellet that nipped a potent Clipper outfit by 15 points to move on in the district tourney and later to the championship. In reversing that defeat last night, the Clippers have plans similar to those of Ellet's last year—and they're determined to carry them out!

Other games last night at Kent moved Loudonville into the second round of play with a 54-33 conquest of Geneva Spencer in the first fray. Orange defeated Clearview 39-33 and Spencer took a loss from Oberlin 35-32. Cuyahoga Heights downed Shreve in a slow game, 43-36.

Columbiana now moves, by virtue of a bye in the first round, into the district finals and will play the winner of Thursday's Loudonville-Ashtabula Harbor game in a test at 2 p. m. Saturday.

Although the Clippers were never headed in the game last night, they had a more difficult time than they have experienced for some time. Ellet, not blessed with a single tall man, had a distinct height disadvantage, but made up for that in sheer swiftness. The loss was the fourth in 20 for Akron.

At the outset it looked like another Clipper runaway. Larry Keck popped a bunny in the first ten seconds and Harry Case had a pair of double headers before a half a minute was past. With a 6-0 lead the Clipper power seemed on its way.

However, Ellet, paced by Bill Corbin and Bob Hissom, two holdovers from the state championship team last season, put the Akron group back in the game with four points.

The Clippers led 13-9 at the end of the quarter and marched on to an 18-0 advantage with still six minutes until halftime.

By the time the intermission buzzers sounded, Columbiana was in front 25-15.

The pace quickened somewhat in the third, but the Clippers managed to maintain the edge 14-12. As the final started, Columbiana was the top hand with a 39-27 lead. The closest Ellet was able to draw after the first frame was a 36-27 margin during the third.

In the final frame the Clippers again outscored their opponents, cropping in 14 to nine for Akron.

Once again the floor games of Bill Newell and Keith Laughlin were important—if not the most important—phase of the Clipper victory. Both played a top-notch game all the way down and kept the heart of the Clipper zone defense intact.

Akron deployed into a zone at the outset and continued to use the system throughout. Despite the fact that the Clippers' usual figure-eight offense was unimpaired against the zone, neat and careful passing made the Ellet's zone system ineffectual.

Big Harry Hollinger and sturdy Larry Keck walked off with top point honors. Both turned in fine defensive shows to make their 15 points each even more worthwhile.

Harry Case, who started like a house-a-fire, but was well covered after Akron saw his shooting ability, got 13. Laughlin caged six points.

Coach John Cabas, to whom goes the credit for some adroit maneuvering against an entirely different type of ball than Columbiana has faced this year, now possesses a record of 19 straight victories at Columbiana and the most enviable in the state Class B race so far.

The Clippers, though obviously a bit off on their shots, caged 22 of 66 tries—not a bad average for their first district game.

From the foul line they collected nine of 17 tries to 12 of 18 for Akron.

COLUMBIANA	G.	F.	T.
Case	4	5	13
Laughlin	2	2	6
Hollinger	7	1	15
Keck	7	1	15
Newell	1	0	2
Evans	0	0	0
Engle	1	0	2
Gosney	0	0	0
Hum	0	0	0
Berryman	0	0	0
Totals	22	9	53

AKRON ELLET	G.	F.	T.
Corbin	4	2	10
Kolmodin	2	3	7
Proctor	1	1	3
Wadlington	3	4	10
Hessom	0	1	3
Ward	0	1	1
Glenn Proctor	2	0	4
Frye	0	0	0
Fee	0	0	0
Simmons	0	0	0
Totals	12	12	36

Columbiana ... 13 12 14 14-53
Akron Ellet ... 9 6 12 9-36

Officials: Gomer Lewis; Bob Speckler.

Bagby Signs, But His Mind Not Made Up. He Declares

ATLANTA, March 7—Jim Bagby, Jr., right hander of the Cleveland Indians, has signed his 1945 contract, he said today, adding it did not necessarily mean he would play with the Indians.

"I intend to wait and see what is the government's attitude toward baseball before reporting for spring training," he explained. "I might stay right here on this job."

Bagby, classified 4-F last year, works at the Bell bomber plant near here.

The Wonder



It took him 23 days to cross the Atlantic, but Gunder (The Wonder) Hagg, famed Swedish distance runner, lost no time competing in American meets. His schedule will take him all the way to California.

HANDICAP TOURNEY LOOMS AS LARGEST

Entries This Year Include 61 Teams, 102 Doubles And 202 Singles

The annual handicap tournament of the Salem Bowling association, opening next Monday night on the B. & G. Recreation alleys in Washingtonville, promises to be the largest ever conducted by the association.

Entries for the tourney closed Saturday night and Secy. Bill Juergens today reported the list showed 61 five-man teams, 102 doubles and 202 singles.

The largest entry list up to this year was in 1943, at the Masonic alleys, with 56 five-man teams, 109 doubles and 205 singles.

Prize money to be distributed in the three events this year totals \$635.

Bowlers may enter two five-man events but only once in the doubles and singles. Scratch is 190 with a handicap allowance of 70 per cent of the difference between the bowler's average in all leagues and 190.

Team Event Next Week

The team event will be rolled next week, starting Monday night and continuing until Sunday. A few teams being scheduled on Sunday afternoon. Doubles and singles will be rolled the following week, the tournament closing March 25.

Salem, Washingtonville and Columbiana leagues are included in the Salem Bowling association.

Only seven teams are scheduled for the opening night next Monday, as follows:

7—Singles and Eatons of Columbiana, Lions of the Elks league, Sanitary Foremen and Denning Foundry 1 of Salem.

9—Hoovers of Columbiana and Hillside of Washingtonville.

BOWLING STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Firestones	Won	Lost
Firestones	63	25
Fernergals	61	31
Demings	56	32
Electric Furnace	54	38
Wiggers	53	39
Eagles	35	57
Pops	24	64
Melissers	20	68

BLISS LEAGUE

Night D	Won	Lost
Night A	44	28
Night B	44	28
Night C	41	31
Electricians	40	32
Cranemen	36	36
Inspectors	31	41
Night B	28	44
Foremen	24	48

WASHINGTONVILLE COMMERCIAL

Gonda	Won	Lost
Gonda	49	23
Tavern	45	27
Elite	41	31
Mellinger	40	32
Super Service	35	37
Pure Oil	32	40
National Rubber	28	44
Bennetts	18	54

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Demings	Won	Lost
Demings	43	20
Albrights	47	22
Salem News	37	25
Eagles	35	25
Salem China	38	31
Lease	27	42
Colony	18	48
Zenth	17	45

CAGE SCHEDULE

THURSDAY

China vs. Zenth
Deming vs. Washingtonville
Cavaliers vs. Shamrocks

SATURDAY

Mickey McGuire League
St. Paul's vs. Reilly
Fourth at vs. Prospect

Columbia vs. McKinley
Church League
Baptists vs. Panthers

Methodists vs. Presbyterians
St. Paul's vs. Nazarene

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C. S. CHISHOLM AND THE TEAM

Hershey Bears Drop Cleveland Barons

(By Associated Press)

The Hershey Bears defeated the Western division pacemakers, the Cleveland Barons, 6-3, in an American hockey league game on the latter's ice last night, maintaining their six-point lead over the Providence Reds for second place in the Western division.

Providence gained no ground although handing the St. Louis Flyers a 7-1 shellacking in the opening clash of their four-game road trip. It was the eighth straight loss for St. Louis.

Takes Induction Exam

CINCINNATI, March 7—Frank McCormick, Cincinnati Reds first baseman, is awaiting a report on his physical examination taken at Fort Hayes, Columbus. He has been classified 4-F since last April.

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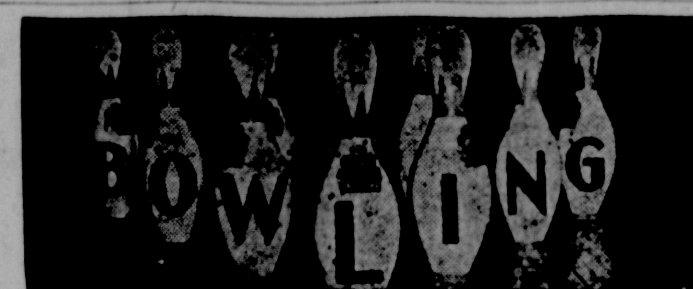
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Smacked Horizontal



Joseph Henry, 17-year-old blacksmith, assumes graceful horizontal pose after taking left-handed broadside exploded by Harry Bernstein, Norwegian Navy gunner in heavyweight sub-novice semi-final bout in Madison Square Garden. Bernstein won by K. O.



NATIONAL LEAGUE

Willis	146	165	189	500
Meier	149	167	195	511
Knowles	176	171	164	511
Christy	176	134	160	470
Spear	191	208	158	557

Total 838 845 866 2549

COLONY

Brelli	163	169	149	481
Wright	150	166	135	451
Lopeman	130	162	153	445
McFeely	127	164	184	475
Bradshaw	166	164	158	488

Total 736 825 779 2340

SALEM CHINA

Buttermore	203	154	159	516
Miller	191	159	172	522
Haessly	158	134	134	425
Reese	175	125	163	463
Armstrong	168	201	161	530

Total 815 773 789 2457

WASHINGTONVILLE COMMERCIAL

Bruderley	245	193	136	574
D. Bennett	151	151	169	560
Klingensmith	135	126	126	487
G. Sagle	168	203	160	531
S. Bennett	129	123	123	475

Total 858 853 669 2380

TAVERN

Tourdort	164	166	191	521
Past	134	135	135	469
Holland	166	142	138	446
Helt	130	130	130	420
G. Culler	222	170	187	579

Total 816 767 801 2384

MELLINGERS

DeJane	132	133	167	432
Vannon	193	162	129	484
Herron	171	103	144	418
Adams	183	196	135	484
Bruderley	192	228	172	592

Total 871 827 747 2415

ZENTH — Forfeit.

DEVORE APPOINTED MENTOR OF IRISH

Named to Follow McKeever, Who Resigned to Take Cornell Spot

(By Associated Press)

SOUTH BEND, Ind., March 7—Another alumnus has been added to the roster of former "Fightin' Irish" who for decades have been directing the football fortunes beneath Notre Dame's golden dome.

He is John Hugh Devore, Irish line coach for the past two years—and Notre Dame's third head football coach and athletic director in as many seasons.

Devore, football co-captain at Notre Dame in 1933, and an Irish end three years, yesterday was appointed acting athletic director to succeed Ed McKeever, who resigned last week to become head coach at Cornell.

Devore's appointment announced by the Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C. S. C., Notre Dame president, is effective only until the return of Frank Leahy, former athletic director who is in the navy.

NATIONAL RUBBER

Boston	170	168	162	500
Lehman	121	133	158	412
Barton	157	143	130	430
Stoffler	171	150	128	449
Kyser	149	153	150	452

Total 768 747 728 2243

PURE OIL

Mercer	166	172	139	477
Hepler	133	136	131	400
Ashman	164	138	111	413
Stoffler	118	142	148	408
Tetlow	158	142	158	458

Total 739 750 687 2176

SUPER SERVICE

Beltempo	117	151	135	403
Altomare	140	145	138	423
Feyock	152	168	184	504
Lossick	140	147	151	438

Total 717 806 732 2275

GONDA

Potis	161	162	140	463
Buffman	159	202	155	516
Coy	177	162	135	474
Schafer	144	135	135	414
Myers	195	169	157	521

Total 836 884 741 2461

ELITE

Briden	161	144	117	422
Vespasian	167	186	207	560
Nicollite	179	158	160	497
Lipely	154	184	127	465
Culler	153	155	165	473

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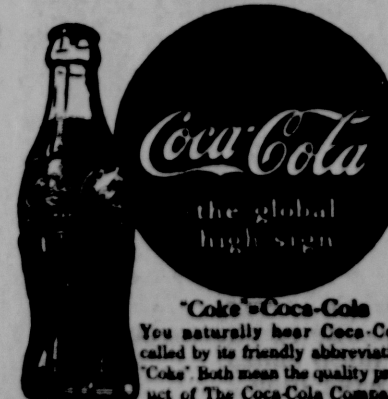


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Yank Military Staff On Job As Cologne Residents Wake Up

By HOWARD COWAN
COLOGNE, March 7.—This great Rhineland metropolis which once numbered almost 800,000 inhabitants, woke up today to find itself under an American military government setup headed by Lt. Col. John K. Patterson of Riverside, Calif.

Patterson did not yet know himself how many civilians remained in the ruins of the city, devastated by three years of heavy aerial bombardment. Some estimates ran as high as 150,000 and some as low as 10,000.

An advance echelon arrived here last night seeking quarters for the military government. They'll have to take the best basement they can find.

One of the AMG's first tasks will be to register every person found in the city. There have been reports of German soldiers denning civilian clothes to escape capture, and these must be weeded out.

A multitude of other problems await the AMG. Virtually all public utilities have been knocked out. There is no electric or telephone service, no running water and no public transportation.

Steps must be taken to reorganize the food distribution system and to safeguard the public health. Patterson and his staff were picked for the Cologne job last September and have been preparing themselves ever since. Most of them have had experience with the AMG in France and Belgium. All will perform functions closely allied to their jobs in civilian life before the war.

Lt. Col. R. L. Hiles, Rosebud, Texas, former superintendent of schools in Georgetown, Texas, will be deputy governor.

Capt. Ulrich (Bud) Urton of Lancaster, O., who was a corporal in his native state's highway patrol when he entered service, heads the public safety department.

Pilot Killed In Crash of Army Plane at Portsmouth

PORTSMOUTH, March 7.—A C-47 army plane crashed into a hill and burned in a wooded hollow five miles south of here near Firebrick, Ky., last night, killing the pilot.

The pilot, burned beyond recognition, was not immediately identified. Police said Navy shore patrolmen, assigned here on food duty, made a five-hour trip through the flood-stricken countryside to reach the scene, after nearby residents telephoned the plane had crashed.

Police said the plane was reported flying from the east and that the pilot dropped flares a few minutes before the crash.

606 Dairy Farms Fail To Meet Sanitary Goals

PITTSBURGH, March 7.—Edward A. Boyle, chief dairy inspector for Pittsburgh, reported today 606 dairy farms inspected in Pennsylvania and Ohio failed to meet sanitary requirements for shipping milk into Pittsburgh.

The city staff inspected 5,570 Pennsylvania, and 1,389 Ohio farms.

Ordinance Chief Succumbs

CLEVELAND, March 7.—Leo B. Jacobs, 42 director of civilian personnel for the Cleveland ordinance district, died yesterday. He was Ohio director of the National Youth administration from 1939 to 1942.

Breached Levee At Cincinnati



(NEA Telfphoto)

Ohio river flood waters surge through the breached levee at Cincinnati, engulfing nearby Lunken airport and a play field.

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Pancake eggs, 35c to 40c doz.
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Apples, \$1.50-\$2.50 bu.

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New oats, 82c bu.
Wheat, \$1.60 bu.
Corn, \$1.13c bu.

TREASURY RECEIPTS

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The position of the Treasury March 5: Receipts \$99,918,773.59; expenditures \$31,388,822.00; net balance \$16,531,267.30; working balance included \$15,790,210.36; receipts fiscal yr (July 1) \$28,082,919,936.43. Expenditures fiscal year \$65,380,595,516.88; excess of expenditures \$37,297,775,674.45; total debt \$234,932,223,337.99; increase over previous day \$21,891,703.35.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, March 7.—Sugars, specialties and a few industrial and rail leaders recorded moderate gains today as other sections of the stock market remained in a narrow and indecisive range.

Plus signs were fairly numerous near the fourth hour, and even these stocks which could make no headway suffered only minor losses. Gains ranging from fractions to around a point were established by West Indies Sugar, American Sugar, Texas Pacific Coal & Oil, Bethlehem Steel, Chrysler, Sears Roebuck, Western Union "A," Standard Oil (N. J.), Santa Fe, N. Y. Central, Great Northern and Erie.

Limit Boats On River

COLUMBUS, March 7.—The conservation committee of the Ohio house of representatives unanimously has recommended passage of a bill limiting motor boats to four horsepower motors, except for state patrol boats, on Pymatuning river, on the Ohio-Pennsylvania border.

The War Today

By DeWitt MacKenzie

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through the trying period between war and stabilized peace.

Let none doubt that this transitional period will be one of the most critical in the history of mankind. Blind are those who don't see that unprecedented social and political changes are growing out of this war.

Thus while we can say world-guidance by three powers may not be the ideal solution, it apparently is the only one which will meet this crisis. The smaller nations can either cooperate with it or fight it. If they cooperate they may get peace and progress; if they fight they may disrupt the chances of establishing a real peace. That means more war.

Undoubtedly it's best that all phases of the situation should be discussed at San Francisco. But hopes of a sound peace organization carrying the world on their broad backs. That calls for realism. One of the hopeful signs of the time is the eager and common-sense attitude of the Pan-American conference. The Americas want peace.

Liverpool Soldier Dies

EAST LIVERPOOL.—March 7.—Tech. Sergt. Charles Poole, 29, an infantryman, died of injuries sustained when a bomb exploded near him in Germany. The War department today advised his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Poole, of East Liverpool. Besides his parents, he is survived by his wife, Mrs. Isa Poole, of Cleveland; a daughter and three brothers.

Radio Links Airports

COLUMBUS, March 7.—A statewide radio network is being set up linking 40 Ohio airports with Civil Air Patrol headquarters here, R. A. Valentine, wing adjutant, reported.

About Town

Plan Farmers' Day

A Farmers' day program will feature a meeting of the Kiwanis club at noon Thursday at Memorial building, with Prof. John Slipher, Ohio State university, Columbus, guest speaker. Each member will have a farmer of this vicinity as his guest.

Two new club members are Oliver Swope and Al Parker. Reports show that the club has had a perfect attendance for February.

Becomes Army Nurse

Miss Doris Jean Ward of Sebring, who graduated from Salem City Hospital School of Nurses last June, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army Nurse corps. She will leave Thursday for Camp Knox, Ky. Lieut. Ward spent the last six months at Cleveland City hospital.

Trinity Lenten Topic

The midweek Lenten service of Holy Trinity English Lutheran church will be held at 7:30 tonight. The sermon subject will be "Simon of Cyrene: The Cross Bearer." Following the service there will be a short session of the Sunday school executive committee.

Loses Fingers In Press

Hermine Grell, W. Wilson st., had the fingers on her right hand amputated yesterday following an accident at the Mullins Mig. Corp. plant when she got her hand caught in a press. She was taken to Salem City hospital at 10:20 a. m.

Speaks On Coins

Columbiana County Treasurer Vincent Judge spoke on the history of coins and showed his personal collection when the Lions club met Tuesday night at the Lape hotel. Dr. M. W. Riegel was program chairman.

Cub Pack 3 To Meet

Cub Pack No. 3 will hold an important meeting at 7:30 tonight in the Presbyterian church. All Den Mothers, parents and officers are urged to attend.

City Hospital Notes

Returning home: Charles Straub of Negley. Mrs. Harry McNutt of East Palestine.

Central Clinic Notes

Returning home: Patricia Phelps of Lisbon. Mrs. Lester Moore and son of Lisbon. Lester Houts, R. D. 4, Salem.

Club Will Meet

The Salem Hunting club will hold its weekly meeting at the Memorial building at 8 p. m. Thursday.

Recent Births

At the Clinic: A son Monday to Pvt. and Mrs. James Gardner, 1006 E. Fourth st.

WILL FINANCE

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ation as a means of communication between headquarters and the police cruiser.

Three ordinances were passed transferring a total of \$440.29 from department funds to the public employees retirement fund. Another measure transferred \$200 from the general fund to the Columbiana County Law Library association fund as the city's share of maintenance expense.

Council approved a finance committee made by Chairman Harry Vincent, that the service director be authorized to proceed with the purchase of a truck for use by the service department. The estimated \$3,200 cost would be divided \$1,500 from the general fund and \$1,700 from the waterworks fund. The solons accepted the invitation of the Salem Athletics to attend the baseball dinner next Tuesday night at the Memorial building.

Three Escapees Caught

By Highway Patrolman

MANFIELD, March 7.—Three fugitives from the Ohio state reformatory were captured by State Highway Patrolman W. G. Goodheart yesterday when the officer forced their stolen car into a ditch east of here.

The men were identified as Joseph Blane, 36, sentenced from Cuyahoga county for breaking and entering; Felix Sikorsky, 22, sentenced from Cuyahoga county for automobile theft; and Joseph Morris, 24, sentenced from Belmont county for burglary. They had escaped a few hours earlier from the reformatory poultry farm.

Wins Patrol Promotion

COLUMBUS, March 7.—The Ohio highway patrol announced today that Lt. A. L. Bouton, who has been in charge of its Cambridge district, has been promoted to the headquarters staff in Columbus. He will supervise equipment and records.

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U. S. Foils Plans of Japanese To Kill Off Herds Of Seals



One of the Jap motives in landing on Attu was a plan to wipe out the seal herds on the lonely and barren Pribilof Islands. These efforts failed, and a healthy herd of 3,000,000 seals still supplies American fur industry with skins to be finished into fine furs by a highly secret process.

By DOUGLAS LARSEN
NEA Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—One of the government's most valuable possessions, the fabulous seal skin business, worth approximately \$100,000,000 to the United States Treasury with its secret formula for processing, has been rescued from Jap trickery and armed attempts to take it.

Announcement of this victory comes from United States Fish and Wildlife service with the revelation that the herd, depleted by Jap raids, has been restored to 3,000,000 seals. Also revealed for the first time is the Jap attempt to steal the jealously guarded secret processing formula just before Pearl Harbor.

The Fouke Fur Co. of St. Louis, Mo., uses the formula in trust for the government. More than 90 per cent of all seal skins in the world used for milady's fur coats are handled by this company. The process is one of the most carefully guarded industrial secrets that exists. Shortly before Pearl Harbor a request from the Japanese government to let a party of Rising Sunners inspect the plant. With no apparent reason to suspect an ulterior motive, permission was granted.

More than a dozen Nips showed up to make the tour, and things looked entirely above board until one of the guides noticed they were all busily snapping pictures with tiny, but powerful cameras. The party was halted immediately, in time so that not enough of the process was revealed to do the visitors any good. The whole incident was turned over to the State department but before any action could be taken the big shooting started at Pearl Harbor.

Baffled in attempts to steal the process the Japs then tried to get the seals themselves. Practically all the seals in the world live on two tiny barren islands in the

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OBITUARY

MRS. FRANK WEITZ

Mrs. Estelle Monnell Weitz, wife of Frank Weitz, died suddenly of a heart attack at her home, 1335 Cleveland st., at 9:30 p. m. Tuesday.

Born in Herkemen county, New York, she was the daughter of Zephinah and Cordella Johnson.

A member of the Baptist church, Mrs. Weitz came here 13 years ago from Cleveland. She was a member of the Dames of Malta.

Surviving besides her husband, are one daughter, Mrs. H. J. King, of Salsberry Center, N. Y., two grandchildren; two brothers, Curtis Johnson of Richmond, N. Y., and Zephinah Johnson of Little Falls, N. Y.

Funeral service will be held at 3:30 p. m. Friday at the Arbaugh-Pearce funeral home in charge of Rev. S. T. Magann. Burial will be in Grandview cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday evening.

MRS. THERESA LAUGHLIN

LEETONIA, March 7.—Mrs. Theresa Cluse Laughlin, 65, died suddenly of a heart attack Tuesday morning while attending service at St. Patrick's Catholic church.

A daughter of George and Mary Cluse she was born Jan. 15, 1880, at New Castle, Pa.

Her husband, John Laughlin, died in 1937 when the family lived at North Lima.

Surviving are two step-children: Lester Laughlin, North Lima, and Mrs. Josephine Cope, New Middleton.

Funeral service will be held at 8 a. m. Thursday at St. Patrick's Catholic church in charge of the pastor, Rev. W. W. Maund. Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery at New Castle, Pa.

Friends may call at the Woods funeral home from 7 until 9 tonight.

MRS. KATHERINE SAULS

LISBON, March 7.—Mrs. Katherine Sauls, 91, died at 1 a. m. today at her home, N. Market st., following three weeks illness.

A native of Pittsburgh, where she was born Feb. 6, 1854, she had resided here many years. Her husband, Lorenz, died several years ago. She was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Pettit of Lisbon, one granddaughter and one great-grandchild.

Funeral service will be held at the Ellis parlors at 1 p. m. Friday in charge of Rev. J. Morgan Cox. Burial will be in the Lisbon cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday.

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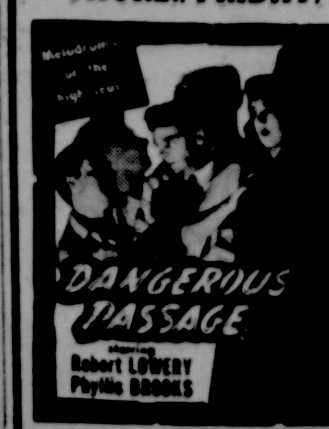
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